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Mr. Carl J. Schafer
Patterson Schafer, Inc.
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Suite 917
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Dear Carl:

The discharge of the water from the holding tank at the Metal Molding and Casting pretreatment unit takes place over a two and one half to three hour period. The discharge time has not been closely monitored. Recently the operators have been starting the discharge at approximately 3:00 PM and allowing the tank to drain into the second shift. The discharge must be accomplished slowly to prevent overflow from the standpipe.

There was no discharge during the 24 hours of the January PCR sampling period. A batch was ready and discharge started between 8:00 and 8:30 AM on January 19, and the samples taken at 9:20 AM. The sample for the February PCR period was taken at approximately 3:30 PM after the discharge had been started at 3:00 PM.

Production during the February PCR sampling period was:

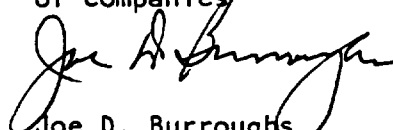
Billets Cast (Shaft Furnace not operated)	383,065	LB.
Cathodes Pulled	206,406	LB.
Billets Extruded - second shift (2/23)	0	LB.
third shift (2/24)	0	LB.
first shift (2/24)	321,000	LB.
Total	321,000	LB.

Please note that the Shaft Furnace did not operate during the PCR sampling period and that the Extrusion Press operated only during the day shift.

Very truly yours,

bcc: P.Tandler
S.Silverstein
R.Conreux

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